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Reserve Fund. Rs. 17,480,078\$736
Profits in suspense. Rs. 11,156,739\$835

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plauded. Mr. Geo. B. Steven's fine tenor voice was heard to advantage in "Saved by a Child"; "The Arabs Farewell" to his Steeds was admirably sung by Dr. R. Rawlinson. Amongst the comic singers Mr. C. D. Clunie made a tremendous hit in his "Gorgonzola Cheese"; Mr. J. Jones gave "Where is my wandering boy to-night?" and was encored. Messrs. Aug. Clark, A. M. Jardine and C. E. Holmes sang their respective songs in good style and were well received. M. T. E. Downes obliged with "Happy Moments".

The success of these concerts greatly depends on the accompanists; great praise is due to Messrs. J. Brown, W. Crook and Aug. Clark for the willing and able way with which they played for the various singers, the two former gentlemen received great applause for their solos. The "commissariat", a most important item on these occasions, was entrusted to Mr. J. Travis who looked after the creature comforts of all and made them feel quite at home.

A very artistic programme was arranged by Mr. W. Crook. The favors for the chairmen and officials, which were much admired, were made and presented by Mrs. A. Clark.

Many thanks are due to Messrs. D. MacDonnell and E. L. Bing, the organizers of the concert, who as stage and business managers worked hard to make the concert the success it was, also to the S. A. C. C. for the loan of their quarters.

The programme was as follows:—

PART I.

Piano Solo.—Selected. Mr. J. Brown.
Song.—"Jours". C. K. Pierce.
"—Saved by a Child. Geo. B. Stevens.
"—Old Folks at Home. J. Brown.
Comic Song.—The Hee Haw Brigade. C. D. Clunie.
Duet.—The Twins. Messrs. Pierce and Holmes.
Song.—The Vagabond. Mr. Aug. Clark.
"—The Arab's Farewell to his Steeds. Dr. R. Rawlinson.
Song.—The River of Years. Mr. A. M. Jardine.
Song.—Yusie-we-we. E. L. Bing.

Interval.

PART II.

Piano Solo.—Op. 43. Mr. W. Crook.
Song.—"Speak". C. K. Pierce.
"—Lily of Laguna. E. L. Bing.
Comic Song.—Gorgonzola Cheese. C. D. Clunie.
Song.—Queen of Angels. H. S. Fellows.
Comic Song.—Where is my wandering boy? R. Jones.
Song.—Evening Song. Chalmers.
Comic Song.—Nolans' Ball. C. E. Holmes.
Song.—A Soldier and a Man. J. Travis.
Monologue.—Happy Moments. T. E. Downes.
Song.—Sunshine Above. A. M. Jardine.
Comic Song.—The Walter. D. MacDonnell.

God Save the King.

COMMERCIAL.

Rio de Janeiro, August 27th, 1901.

Par value of the Brazilian milreis (1000).
gold. 27 d.
do of the Brazilian milreis (1000) in U. S. coin at \$4.86, 65 per £ 54.75 cts.
do \$1.00 (U. S. coin) Brazilian gold. 18.87
do of £ 1 stg. in Brazilian gold. 8.80

Bank rate of exchange, official, on London to-day. 10 1/2 d.
Present value of the Brazilian mil reis (gold). 26.62
Present value of the Brazilian mil reis (paper). 38 1/2 gold
Prese value of the Brazilian mil reis in U. S. coin at \$4.80 per £ 20.75 c.
Value of \$1.00 (U. S. coin) at £ 1 stg. in Brazilian currency (paper). 45.62
Value of £ 1 sterling at 25.132

EXCHANGE

Official quotations on London were:

Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 377-382 reis gold.

Aug. 20.—Official quotations on London were:
Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 380-382 reis gold.

Aug. 21.—Official quotations on London were:
Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 380-384 reis gold.

Aug. 22.—Official quotations on London were:
Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 382-384 reis gold.

Aug. 23.—Official quotations on London were:
Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 384-386 reis gold.

Aug. 24.—Official quotations on London were:
Bank bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Private bills. opening 10 1/2 to 10 1/2
Official value of the milreis 380-384 reis gold.

MARKET REPORT.

Rio de Janeiro, 27th August, 1901.
Exports.

Coffee.—The reported sales during the past week amounted to 59,000 bags. The receipts were 126,025 bags and the shipments 128,394 bags. Foreign advices report the sales for the past week as follows:—New York 155,000 bags, Havre 102,000, Hamburg 7,000 and London 51,000—total 381,000 bags against 688,000 bags in the corresponding week of last year and 429,000 bags in the week before.

The detailed movements of the market were as follows:

Ruling prices during the week for N. Y. Type Santos, Good per arroba. Reported sales. Average.

Aug. 10. 7,100-7,300 10,000 bags. 4,900
" 20. 7,100-7,300 6,000 4,900
" 21. 7,100-7,300 6,000 4,900
" 22. 7,100-7,300 6,000 4,900
" 23. 7,100-7,300 6,000 4,900
" 24. 7,100-7,300 6,000 4,900

The shipments since our last report have been:

76,339 bags for the United States
38,422 " " Europe
2,000 " " Cape of Good Hope
6,798 " " River Plate, etc.
1,835 " " Coastwise

125,394 bags. The following ships sailed with coffee last week:

Aug. 17 New York Belg. str. *Wardsworth* 34,500
do Germ. str. *Heinrich* 20,100
21 Baltimore Amer. bk. *France* 13,000
21 New York Br. str. *Hindon* 25,800
22 do Br. str. *Eastern Prince* 18,995

Aug. 17 Hamburg etc. Germ. str. *Serbia* 15,444
20 Marseilles etc. Br. str. *Aquitaine* 5,100
21 London etc. Br. str. *Magdalena* 25,800
24 Hamburg etc. Germ. str. *Corrientes* 25,433

Elsewhere:
Aug. 20 River Plate Br. str. *Nile* 3,658

Coastwise:
Northern ports various steamers. 3,972
Southern ports do do 611

The receipts for the past week were 125,372 bags against 131,614 bags for the previous week and 114,513 bags for the week before.

Brokers' quotations, according to New-York types were the following:

No. 6. 7,300
7. 7,400
8. 7,500
9. 7,600
10. 7,700

The stock was estimated this morning at 450,904 bags according to the *Journal do Commercio*, and 410,401 bags according to one of our prominent brokers.

The Santos stock is reported at 951,930 bags.

Daily receipts and shipments of coffee at Rio de Janeiro

Receipts.	Shipments.	Stock.
Aug. 24. 15,388	Aug. 17. 15,388	Aug. 18. 15,388
Aug. 19. 15,388	Aug. 20. 15,388	Aug. 21. 15,388
Aug. 22. 15,388	Aug. 23. 15,388	Aug. 24. 15,388
Aug. 25. 15,388	Aug. 26. 15,388	Aug. 27. 15,388
Aug. 28. 15,388	Aug. 29. 15,388	Aug. 30. 15,388
Aug. 31. 15,388	Aug. 32. 15,388	Aug. 33. 15,388
Aug. 34. 15,388	Aug. 35. 15,388	Aug. 36. 15,388
Aug. 37. 15,388	Aug. 38. 15,388	Aug. 39. 15,388
Aug. 40. 15,388	Aug. 41. 15,388	Aug. 42. 15,388
Aug. 43. 15,388	Aug. 44. 15,388	Aug. 45. 15,388
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DEPARTURES OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

AUGUST 21.

BALTIMORE.—Amer. bk. *France*; 644 tons; Erickson; coffee.

AUG. 27.

TACOMA.—Br. bk. *Deudraeth Castle*; 1,737 tons; Jones; ballast.

FREIGHTS.

NEW YORK.—35 cents and 5 % prime per bag of 500 kilos.

NEW ORLEANS.—35 cents and 5 % prime per bag of 500 kilos.

ANTWERP.—35 shillings and 5 % prime per ton of 1,000 kilos.

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SOUTHAMPTON.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

CAPE TOWN.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

P. ELIZABETH.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

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PART LONDON.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

DELAVAL BAY.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

MOSEL BAY.—50 shillings and 2 1/2 % prime per ton.

MONTEVIDEO.—2500 per bag of 60 kilos.

B. ABERN.—2500 per bag of 60 kilos.

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ANTWERP.—Germ. str. *Stalberg*. 1,750 bags of coffee.

DO.—Germ. str. *Roland*. 1,500 do do

DO.—Germ. str. *Coblenz*. 1,250 do do

BREMEN.—do do 200 do do

RIVER PLATE.—Fr. str. *Chili*. 3,570 do do

MONTEVIDEO.—do do 176 do do

HAVRE.—Fr. str. *Cordoba*. 7,850 do do

MARSEILLES.—Fr. str. *Les Alpes*. 5,125 do do

NEW ORLEANS.—Fr. str. *Pampa*. 7,100 do do

VALPARAISO.—Br. str. *Iberia*. 300 do do

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200 Emprestimo Municipal. 134

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50 deb. Confianca Industrial (mill). 185

50 Lavoura e Commercio. 43,000

60 Republica. 37 500

839 do do 37

Miscellaneous.

95 Melhoramentos no Brazil. 8,750

200 do do 9

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17 Apolices 58. 755,000

52 do 56

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27 do 752

21 do (reg.). 755

4 do 1897 (reg.). 887

3 do 1897 (reg.). 887

10 Emprestimo Municipal. 140

10 do do 140

88 do do 142

88 deb. Carris Urbanos (200). 130

149 Sorocabana-Ituana R. R. 35

Banks.

8 Republica. 37,500

306 do do 37

Railways.

143 Sorocabana-Ituana. 10,000

100 do do 11 500

Miscellaneous.

20 Melhoramentos no Brazil. 9,000

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30 Apolices 58. 755,000

30 do 750

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RIO DE JANEIRO, AUGUST 27th, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. A. J. Lamoureux has given his procuracy to Sr. Arnaldo José Dias de Miranda for the administration of *The Rio News*, and to Sr. Manoel Joaquim Moreira Maximino for the administration of his printing office, known as the Typographia Aldina, during his absence. The procuracy given to Mr. Frederick Pfeiffer is hereby revoked.

NEWS AND NOTES

—The official value of the exports from the state of Amazonas last year was 104,524,512 réis.

—A chemist at Macéio is reported to have discovered a very efficacious cure for pulmonary tuberculosis.

—A telegram from S. Paulo estimates at 25% the damage caused by heavy rains to the coffee crop.

—Deputy Seabra has asked Deputy Barbosa Lima to name the congressman who have received money from the Banco da Republica.

—According to the *Diario Official* the sum paid to Dr. José Carlos Rodrigues for defraying the expenses of his mission to London is £10,000.

—It is stated that an engineer will shortly leave S. Paulo for the United States for the purpose of establishing agencies for the direct sale of coffee.

—Demonstrations in honor of Senator Pinheiro Machado and Deputy Barbosa Lima were announced last week, but were prohibited by the chief of police.

—In the first half of the present year Argentine exports to Brazil amounted to \$4,080,947, while the imports from Brazil into the Argentine Republic amounted to only \$1,820,701.

—Dr. Edmundo Bittencourt undertakes to prove that congressmen have abusively received money from the Banco da Republica, if he is permitted to have free access to the books of the bank.

—Judge Gama e Souza has ordered the judicial liquidation of the Sorocabana railway company. The company's lawyer has protested and will endeavor to cause the decision to be annulled.

—On Thursday the chamber of deputies voted in 3rd discussion the appropriation of 150,000 in gold for defraying the expense causing Brazil to be represented at the Pan-American congress.

—The Military Club's telegram to Julio de Castilhos has excited much comment. There seems to be no doubt that the jacobins in the army are endeavoring to recover their former political ascendancy.

—Judge Bulhões Pedreira has ordered the judicial liquidation of the Companhia Progresso Industrial de Carandahy, which owns a valuable marble quarry and lime kiln in the state of Minas Geraes.

—The Italian government is said to be awaiting the report of its present minister in this country on the situation of Italians who are residing here in order to decide whether it will prohibit emigration to Brazil.

—On the 30th inst. the Theresopolis railway goes to auction for the third time. The original valuation of 1,985,000 has been reduced to 1,607,800, and, if there are no bids on this basis, the road will be sold at any price to the highest bidder.

—The Empresa Industrial Brasileira has cancelled its power of attorney to the Brasilianische Bank für Deutschland, and it is said to be its intention to bring a suit against the bank for damages estimated at 5,000,000.

—At a meeting held last Wednesday night at the Sant'Anna theatre ex-Vice-President Manoel Victorino and Engineer Sampaio Corrêa made speeches against the government's purchase of railways and against the contract with the Great Western of Brazil Railway Co.

—As we state elsewhere, only one arrest seems to have been made on account of the recent political disturbances, and that is apparently illegal. The respective warrant, which was presented to the prisoner 29 hours after his arrest, is signed not by a judicial authority, but by a police delegate.

—Some days ago the *Diario Official* asserted that in 1888 the imperial government had commissioned Dr. José Carlos Rodrigues to negotiate for the purchase of Brazilian railways belonging to English companies. The statement has been contradicted and the *Diario Official* has been challenged to furnish proofs.

—On last Friday there were largely attended exequies in the city of Rio de Janeiro and at various places in the state of Rio Grande do Sul for the late Councillor Silveira Martins. At Cruz Alta the religious ceremonies were disturbed by castillians.

—The Arbuckle fortunes, says the *Mechanics Review*, aggregate many millions, but just as many more, nay, ever so many more, millions await the grocers who will push uniform blends of high or medium grade coffee. Consider, only consider, what sort of stuff must have been sold for coffee, or at what exorbitant price, when the big roasters first began to make a market for their products.

—The *Spice Mills* comments as follows on the proposal to burn part of the coffee crop for the purpose of raising prices:—No doubt the plan which would give the greatest relief to an individual planter would be to have the other planters to burn their coffee while he keeps Porto markets his. Each planter wants to see the price of coffee go up, but he doesn't want to have any fewer pounds to sell. The schemes proposed for Brazilian relief indicate that there is more wrong with that country than too much coffee.

—The article of Dr. Alberto Salles still continues to produce beneficial results. To many persons who have been regarding the situation with silent disapproval it has been the signal to give expression at last to their long repressed feelings. There have thus been elicited some important documents, conspicuous among which are articles written by Julio de Mesquita and Americo Werneck. A very important document also is the eloquent appeal which the students have addressed to the into which it has fallen. We have more than one had occasion to criticize severely the productions of immature modesty, but for this document we have only words of praise. Written with becoming modesty, circumspection and moderation in vigor, solemn and impressive language, it ought to contribute powerfully to check the progress of political and social dissolution in Brazil.

DEATH.

On the 16th inst., at the Strangers' Hospital in this city, Arthur Haynes, late of Pernambuco.

POLITICAL DISTURBANCES.

On Thursday the publicity given to the statement that Deputy Barbosa Lima would cease to be guided by the attitude of the castillians delegation to which he belongs and would, regardless of consequences, make an opposition speech, attracted a large crowd, including his own family, to the chamber of deputies.

His speech is said to have disappointed his hearers, who, however, seem to have been determined not to lose the opportunity for lively demonstrations. These at the close of the speech became so noisy that it was necessary for the chair to suspend the sitting for a short while. Nothing was accomplished by this, for, when the proceedings were resumed the demonstrations became still noisier, much hostility being displayed towards some of the deputies present, especially towards Deputy Fausto Cardoso, who is accused of having sold himself to the government.

At the close of the sitting, many of the spectators remained in the vicinity and hissed unpoplar deputies as the latter left the building. Deputy Seabra of the Bahia delegation was followed and hissed for a considerable distance.

But Deputy Fausto Cardoso continued to be the principal object of the crowd's animosity. When he left the chamber in the company of several other deputies, he was saluted with a shower of potatoes, onions, oranges and other missiles, and Deputy Adalberto Ferraz, of the Minas delegation, who was with him, was knocked down with a tin of butter. Fausto Cardoso was struck several times and his suit was completely wrecked. On Rua do Ouvidor, where the narrowness of the street and the denseness of the crowd rendered the use of missiles ineffective, he was attacked at close quarters with walking sticks and, in spite of efforts made by policemen and others

to protect him, is said to have been very roughly handled. At last he succeeded, reaching Largo da Carioca, where he took refuge in a tram. Some of his assailants entered the same tram and continued to attack him and he was obliged to leave it and take passage in another.

It is only just to state that Fausto Cardoso himself claims to have escaped unhurt, though this is contrary to the general testimony, according to which he was struck both by missiles and by walking sticks. Several other congressmen are also reported to have been struck.

No arrests were made at the time, but at 8.30 p.m. Luiz Pinto de Andrade, business manager of the *Rebate*, was arrested without a judicial warrant.

In the chamber of deputies, on Friday, several speeches were made on the subject of the disturbances. When Deputy Fausto Cardoso left the chamber on this day, he was again followed by a large crowd, which, however, made no hostile demonstrations until they reached Rua do Ouvidor. He was then hissed and followed to Largo de S. Francisco de Paula, where on the pedestal of José Bonifácio's statue he made a speech to the crowd, which hissed him again and then dispersed.

The disturbances will doubtless be attributed to various causes, but in our opinion the principal cause is the irritation and discontent of the people in consequence of the present wretched financial and political situation. Such disturbances, we have already had occasion to say, are to be expected, and we have no doubt that they will be frequently repeated.

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SANTOS ATHLETIC CLUB.

The twelfth annual sports meeting of the above club was held at the club grounds, José Menino, on Thursday, the 15th inst.

Considering the unsettled weather, threatening to break every moment, the attendance was large, many ladies gracing the proceedings with their presence.

The Challenge cup, presented by Mrs. E. O. Broad for the 120 yard flat race, was won for the second time in succession by Mr. F. Tracey. A popular win, although many would have preferred to see some other athlete carry off the prize, and thereby give greater interest to future meetings.

The São Paulo Athletic Club was worthily represented by Messrs. Robinson, Tomkins and Nobiling, the first named securing three firsts and one second in a very sportsmanlike manner.

Mrs. Wm. Ellis kindly consenting to distribute the prizes, the meeting was brought to a close with their distribution.

The following is a list of the events and successful competitors:

Throwing the Cricket Ball.—F. Tracey. Distance 89 yards 6 in.

100 Yards Flat Race.—F. H. Robinson, time 11 sec. 2 F. Tracey.

Long Jump.—1 F. H. Robinson, distance 18 feet 4 inches. 2 C. P. Tomkins.

Putting the Weight.—A. Richards, distance 27 feet 10 inches.

120 Yards Flat Race, Challenge Cup.—1 F. Tracey, time 13 2/5 sec. 2 E. Ribton Cooke.

Bicycle Race 1 Mile, Handicap.—H. Barton, 3 min. 30 sec.

Sack Race.—H. F. Hampshire.

220 Yards Flat Race, Handicap.—1 F. H. Robinson, time 26 1/5 sec. 2 F. Tracey.

Girls' Race.—Esther Stockler.

120 Yards Hurdle Race.—1 C. P. Tomkins, time 20 sec. 2 H. Nobiling, (S. C. G.)

¼ Mile Flat Race, Handicap.—1 F. Tracey, time 58 sec. 2 F. H. Robinson.

Thread-the-Needle Race.—Mrs. H. C. Simonson, H. F. Hampshire.

Potato Race.—E. Ribton Cooke.

Boys' Race.—W. Ford.

Married Men's Race, 120 Yards Handicap.—Wm. Ellis.

Walking Race 1 Mile Handicap.—1 J. H. de la Cour, time 9 1/2 min. 2 E. Struckmeyer.

Tug of War. Married v. Single.—Single.

Consolation Race.—H. Cookson.

CRICKET AT S. PAULO.

NIGGERS v. WHITES.

This match, eagerly looked forward to as usual was played at the Club ground "Conso-lação" on the 15th August and resulted in a victory for the Niggers by 112 runs.

The Whites winning the toss batted first, Boyes and Brough being the only ones to give trouble to the blacks, with their 42 and 22 respectively out of a total of 95.

For the Niggers, Jeffery, R. Gray and Miller obtained top scores, the first and the last hitting very hard and freely, the total of 207 being attained in less than two hours.

In spite of the very cold afternoon, the pavilion was almost too small for the number of ladies present, and a very nice and welcome tea and cake was provided by Mrs. Richard Gray.

WHITES.

F. W. Heycock, b. Miller.....	0
H. Boyes, b. Rule.....	42
O. Brough, b. Miller.....	22
P. Comber, b. do.....	3
F. Goodier, b. do.....	28
J. Gray, b. Rule.....	2
R. Gray, c. Miller, b. Rule.....	4
H. W. Stacey, b. Miller.....	0
Dr. W. L. Strain, c. Jeffery, b. Rule.....	0
J. W. Sollow, c. Thayer, b. do.....	4
L. Haselden, not out.....	2
Extras.....	16
Total.....	95

BOWLING.

Miller.....	72	B. M.	R.	W.
Rule.....	44	1	22	5
R. W. Gray.....	24	0	22	0

NIGGERS.

W. Jeffery, b. Heycock.....	80
Thayer, c. Goodier, b. Boyes.....	17
R. Gray, b. Boyes.....	28
H. Gray, c. and b. R. Gray.....	7
C. P. Miller, not out.....	33
Statham, c. and b. R. Gray.....	8
W. Rule, b. Boyes.....	2
T. Pudney, b. Boyes.....	13
V. Notmann, Jr., c. Strain, b. Boyes.....	2
G. P. Barros, b. Heycock.....	2
R. Vanorden, absent.....	0
Extras.....	15
Total.....	207

BOWLING.

Boyes.....	121	B. M.	R.	W.
Brough.....	54	1	55	5
Goodier.....	24	0	54	0
Heycock.....	59	0	50	2
R. Gray.....	18	1	2	2

SMOKING CONCERT AT PERNAMBUCO.

A subscription smoking concert was held—by kind permission—at the South American Cable Co's quarters, Pernambuco, on Saturday, the 10th inst., and proved a great success. The chair was taken during the evening by Messrs. Adolf F. Howard, H. M.'s consul, J. Daniel and W. M. Webster, the last gentleman causing much merriment by his giving a personal experience during one of the wails. The platform and room were tastefully decorated with flags and plants and the acoustic property a perfect.

Of the artists Mr. E. L. Bing, suitably attired, greatly distinguished himself in his two songs and received a well deserved ovation for both. Messrs. C. K. Pierce and H. S. Fellows, with their popular duet "The Twins," scored heavily and their songs were warmly ap-

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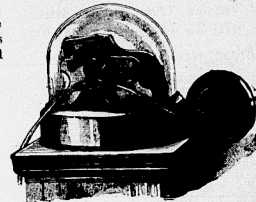
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